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Application No.: 10/079,939

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For: METHODS AND REAGENTS FOR THE RAPID AND EFFICIENT ISOLATION OF CIRCULATING CANCER CELLS

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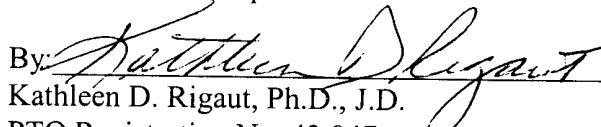
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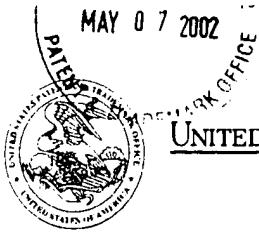
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$1638.
 - \$1134 for 63 total claims over 20.
 - \$504 for 6 independent claims over 3 .
- The oath or declaration is missing.
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